

STATION 31 UPDATE DECEMBER 8, 2003

PREZANT TESTING OF STATION 31

Prezant Associates presented its draft report of test results on Station 31. Nothing was found that called for relocation from the station; recommendations were offered to make the building better and healthier for occupants. Starting Dec. 16, Prezant Associates will be available to review the draft report with all shifts at Station 31. The final report will be presented to the Station 31 Task Force on Dec. 19.

MEDICAL TESTING ADVISORY PANEL

Currently, the panel is in the process of reviewing a draft of the educational information for Station 31 members, namely a list of appropriate medical tests for the identified health concerns. The panel will meet again in January to review the results of the Prezant Industrial Hygiene Study and to determine the next steps.

EPIDEMIOLOGICAL STUDY ADVISORY PANEL

Work continues on a computerized database of people who have worked at Station 31 since the station opened in January 1975. An epidemiological fellow from the Department of Health will be on board in January.